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inst., and has inspected the COMPANY'S WORK the 7th proximo. at Teres (Kinta) and Branda Mabor. His proliminary report can now be seen by Shareholders at the HEAD OFFICE, No. 6, CON-NAUGHT HOUSE.

> By Order of the Board, W. HUTTON POTTS. Secretary.

Hongkong, 29th April, 1891. HONGKONG RIFLE ASSOCIATION.

COMPETITION for the "FAKI" the 2nd prox, commencing at 3.15 P.M. Ranges be had on application at the Office of the Society 200 and 300 yards; Seyen Shote Standing at 200 yards, and Seven Shots Kneeling or Sitting at 900 yards. Entrance Fee 30 cents. A Launch will leave the P. & O. Pier at 2.45 P.M. to convey Competitors.

FRANK COLLINS. Hon. Secretary. Hongkong, 29th April, 1891.

GOVERNMENT NOTIFICATION.

FIRE following is published for General Owing to the continuance of the drought and the very Limited Supply of Water available for distribution, on and after WEDNESDAY next, ROAD CENTRALS HUNGKONG, for 60,000 \$1 the WATER will only be TURNED ON to Shares hearing a right to a Cumulative Preferthe mains in the Several Streets hereafter mentioned during ONE HOUR in the day. As it is considered probable that the water in the Holders of the said Preference Shares shall

many districts will not attain a sufficient height be entitled to have the Surplus Assets of the to supply House Service Pipes, several Small Company applied in the First Place to repay-Fountains have been fixed from which it is intended thewater should for the most part bedrawn.
The positions of the Fountains already fixed are
shown in columns I and 2 of the accompanying
table. Column 4 shows the hours during which

Application Forms are to be obtained from the water will be turned on in the several districts. and to be sent in to the Company's Bankers. Tenements situated above the Robinson Road the Hongkong and Shangkai Banking will, until further notice, be unable to obtain Componation, in Hougkong, on or before water direct from the conduit. Fountains haves TUESDAY, the 5th MAY, 1891, accompanied by been fixed along the Robinson Road for the Payment of \$1 per Share for each Share applied purpose of rendering the water as readily ac- forcessible to the residents in this district as is practicable.

By Command, W. M. DEANE, Acting Colonial Secretary.

The following table shows the position of Fountains already fixed and those intended to be fixed in the course of a few days.

EASTERN DISTRICT.

Position.

Jar.'s Bassar Market Lung On St. Praya East No. 2 P. Station Wanchai Road Queen BRd. E. Fletcher St. forrison Hill No. 3 P. Station St. Francis St. Spring Gardens Tai Wong Lane Wanchai Market Wing Fung St. Wanchai Road Bohool CENTRAL DISTRICT.

STREET " POSITION.

FIXED. TO BE FIXED. Bridges Street Ladder Street

Peel Street Casile Road Seymour Road Hollywood Rd. Arbuthnot Rd. 6-7 s.m. L'harat T'race Cochrane St. Pottinger St.

Marken Street Tank Lane
Praya Central Harbour Office

Lai Yuen St. H. K. S. Bank 7-8 a.m. Robinson Road Castle Road Mosque Junction Peak Road

Peel Street Richmond Rd. Mosque Street Wellington St.
Wing-lok St. Cleverley St.
Hillier Street Square Street Tank Lane Aberdsen St., 7-8 s.m. Market Morrison St. WESTERN DISTRICT.

POSITION. TO HE FIXED. Bosham Road Nullah sids Centre Street 6-7 a.m. 7980/8004. Market Holland Street

Sutherland St. Castern Street No. 7P. Station Shektongeni Richmond Bd. Hongkong, 29th April, 1891.

7-8 a.m.

8-9 s.m.

FOR SHANGHAL THE Steamship

Captain F. Boliniz, will be despatched for the LAL above Port TO-DAY, the 29th inst., at 4 P.M. tions de l'assemblée générale ordinaire en For Freight or Passage, apply to SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, 28th April, 1891. STEAM TO STRAITS AND BOMBAY Calling at COLOMBO if sufficient induce-

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TNFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AUTHORITIES that from the Batteries at Lyemun in a South-Easterly direction, and Stone Cutiers' Island in Westerly and South-Westerly directions, on the 27th, 28th, 29th and Soth instant.

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Tulloch, Bangkok 21st April, Rice .-

Apr. 28, PERING, German str., 994, Schultz. Whampos 28th April, General -- SIEMSSEN Apr. 28, FURHUM, Chinese str., 1,503, A. Croud,

Whampon 28th April, General.-C. M. S. Apr. 28, Benlaric, British steamer, 1,456, 81 Boutellier, Whampes 28th April, General. -GIBE, LIVINGSTON & Co-

pr. 28, Don Juan, Spanish steamer, 654, R. Beltran, Manila 25th April, General .-BRANDAO & Co. Apr. 28. CLYDR, British steamer, 4,136. J. L. Parfitt, R.N.R., Shanghai 25th April .-Mails and General .- P. & O. S. N. Co.

pr. 28, KWANG-LEE, Chinese steamer, 1,506. R. L. Lincoln, Shanghai 24th April, General,-CHINESE. Apr. 28, HAIPHONG, British atr., 1,120, Harris. Mozi 22nd April, Coals and General.-Dov-GLAS LAPRAIR & CO.

Apr. 28, THALES, British steamer, 819. Hunter. Taiwanfoo 23rd April, Amoy 24th, and Swatow 27th, General.—Douglas LAFRAIK Apr. 28.: Loire Inferieure, French str., 543. Viand, Saigon 24th April. Rice.—CHINESE.

Apr. 28. McLaurin, Amr. ship, 1.313, F. L. Oakes, New York 30th April, Petroleum.— Apr. 28, Kongo, Japanese orniser, Captain S. Hitaka, Singapore 19th April. pr. 28,Sr. James, Amr. bark, 1487, W. D. Burnham, Shanghai 21st April, Ballast .-

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Diamond, British str., for Amoy.

DEPARTURES. Apr. 28. VILOX. German str., for Amoy. Apr. 28, Achilles, British str., for London, Apr. 28, BENLARIO, British str., for Wuba. Apr. 28, DIAMOND, British str., for Amoy. Apr. 28, FRIGGA, Garman str., for Yokohama. Apr. 28, HAITAN, British str., for Coast Ports. Apr. 28 "GRABAN, German str., for Saigon. Apr. 28, YBARDY, British str., for Whampon.

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W. R. Willis, Mr. E. Hensley. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Saghalier, from Marseilles, April 5 .- Messis: Hall and A. Per Messageries Maritimes steamer Oxus. from Marseilles, April 16.-Mr. E. W. S. Krim Per P. & O. steamer Victoria, from London, April 17 .- Mr. A. G. Wileman, Mr. and Mrs.

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Per P. & O. sleamer Pechaneur, from London. April 23.-Mr. H. Rimmington. VIBITORS AT HOTELS. HONGHONG, HOTEL .- Messrs. C. Murray Adam, W. M. Aleport, R. M. Ball, Geo. Beesley, C. P. Bennett, Miss Bruhn, Capt. and Mrs. Cavendish and family, Messre, T. Cowen, E. H. Finch, Mrs. Gaskell, Messre, Charles E. Grant, very old and high class. Each bottle contains N. P. Harris, Mrs. Heathcote, Miss Hickson, Mr. and Mrs. McCalmont Hill, Mr. and Mrs. E. Hansen, Mr. and Mrs. E. Ksiser, Miss E. Macintyre, Messrs. J. Newcome, J. H. Ormerod, Miss Palmer, Mr. Paterson, Mrs. Quigloy, Mesers. W. Robinson, W. Rnys, jun., Major Selfe, Mrs. Selfe, Mr. and Mrs. Seymour, moderate in price, excellent in quality, a great Messrs Shaw, H. C. Shekell, C. A. Sherring, B. Brown Smith, W. P. Symonds, Capt. W. H. Thompson, Mes-rs. W. E. Thorne, Tuck. VICTORIA HOTEL.-Messrs. L. Anderson, Fred. Borenemann, J. H. Brown, Fred. H. Ewer, N. Font, H. C. D. Frampton, Capt. Gettey, Capt. J. H. Hoar, Mr. Allan Jones, Dr. Maye Mesers Noah, J. Pender, Dr. Rabe,

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NOTICES OF FIRMS

AGENCY. MITSU BISHI COLLIERIES. TR. JOHN GRANT will take Charge of this Agency during my absence from the Colony.

H. U. JEFFRIES. Hougkong, 23rd April, 1891. NOTICE.

between the Undersigned has been Dissolved from this date by mutual consent. For-ward Settlements will be attended to by Mr. E. JONES HUGHES. HUGHES & EZRA.

With reference to the above I shall continue he Business of a Share and General Broker. E. JONES HUGHES. With reference to the above I shall continue the Business of a SHART and GENERAL BROKER.

N. N. J. EZRA. Hongkong, Slat March, 1891. NOTICE.

HENRY J. HOLMES.

THE PARTNERSHIP between HOLMES RODYK, Solicitors, is DISSOLVED To-DAY by mutual consent. HENRY J. HOLMES: ARTHUR B. RODYK.

Hongkong, 14th April, 1891. NOTICE. The Undersigned will carry on Business at his Office No. 54, Queen's Road.

Hougkong, 14th April, 1891.

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JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents, Canton Insurance Office, Limited. Hougkong, 25th April, 1891. UNION INSURANCE SOCIETY OF

CANTON, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. N INTERIM BONUS of EIGHTEEN

PER CEN'P. upon contributions for the CUP will be held on SATURDAY next, year 1890 has been declared. Warranta may on and after the 6th MAY. By the order of the Board.

Secretary. Hongkong, 25th April, 1891 NOTICE.

THE PUNJOM AND SUNGHIE DUA SAMANTAN MINING COMPANY. LIMITED. ISSUE OF 60,000 PREFERENCE SHARES OF \$1 EACH FULLY PA.D.

PPLICATIONS will be received at the

COMPANT'S OFFICE. No. 9. QUEEN'S

entiel Dividend of 12 per cent. In the event of the Company being wound up

By Order of the Board, A. O'D. GOURDIN. Secretary. 11043 Hongkoug, 24th April, 1891.

-HONGKONG HIGH LEVEL TRAM-WAYS COMPANY, LIMITED. TOTICE is hereby given. That in pursuance of a request made to the General Managers, an EXTRAORDINARY MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS of this COMPANY is hereby called for THURSDAY, the Seventh day of MAY, 1891, at 12 o'clock Noon, at the phical, Commercial and Social Sketch of the Bonghong Hotel, for the purpose of passing Philippine Archipelago and its Political Depensional Resolution that Mr. James Andrea denoies. son be appointed General Manager of the Com-

MacEwen, Frickel & Company in Article 6 of the Articles of Association and inserting the words "James Anderson" therein in the same places. Dated at Hongkong this 24th day of April, MACEWEN, FRICKEL & Co., General Managers.

GREEN ISLAND CEMENT COMPANY,

LIMITED.

Hongkong, 25th April, 1891.

any in the place of blesses. MACHWEN, FRICKEL

Company, and for striking out the words

with the Special Resolution passed by an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Shareholders of the above Company on the 3rd day "Any SHARE in respect of which all the Instalments shall not have been paid on or before the 16TH DAY OF JANUARY shall be FORFEITED. and any shares so forfeited shall be deemed the absolute property of the Company and may be re-allotted or otherwise disposed of, as the Ge-

neral Managers shall determine, and any mem-

bers whose shares shall have been forfeited shall notwithstanding such forfeiture, be liable to pay to the Company all Instalments due in respect of such shares at the time of forfeiture." By virtue of this Resolution 7.014 Shares on which calls are due were forfeited as per follow-511/530, 911/960, 636/885. 1161/1220.1321/1345. 1371/1430 1246/1295, 1481/1530, 1595/1622, 1676/1690. 1700/1702, 1715/1744. 1755/1264 1880/1944 1970/2024.

2037/2046 2262/2311, 2362/2431, 2622/2651, 2657/2676, 2850/2854 2758/2767, 2780/2829, 2835/2839, 3130/3229, 3330/3379, 3405/3484 3640/3704, 3730/3804, 3880/4179 4230/4254. 4855/4884, 4500/4561, 4599/4658 5321/5360 4794/4808, 4816/5295 4669/4718. 5384/5408, 5581/6166 6202/7001 5364/5378. 7076/7190, 7196/7205, 7296/7845 7641/7670. 7701/7780. 7426/7550.

8145/8216, 8222/8281,

Hongkong, 27th April, 1891.

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Y. Shitusawa

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ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.,

General Managers.

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SOCIETE FERMIERE DE L'OPIUM AU TONKIN. [1074] SOCIETE ANONYME AU CAPITAL DE 1.440,000 FRB. AVIS AUX ACTIONNAIRES. MAM LES ACTIONNAIRES sont in formés que conformément aux Résolu-

date du 31 Mars, 1891, les coupons de l'exercice.

Aux guichets de la HONGKONG AND SHANG-

HAI BANKING CORPOBATION à Hongkong du 27 Avril au 7 Mai inclus. Au Siège Social a Hapoi à dater du 9 Avril. next Sesson should be sent in at once. BEER. THE PUREST BEER BREWED IN JAPAN.

Won the HIGHEST MEDAL awarded for BEER

1073 at the National Exhibition, 1890, and the JUI SHIMPO GOLD MEDAL. Sold at the BREWERY. YOKOHAMA, and all towns in Japan and at China Ports, HONGKONG. BAIGON, and generally throughout the East. DIRECTORS. Carl Bobde, Chairman | E. Blanc

H. Heckert, Chief Brewer W. Walker, Secretary. AGENTS FOR HONGKONG. LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Hongkong. 17th February, 1891. [1-159 a. Apply to Messre. JARDINE, MATHESON TO OR T.L. AND CEMENT with remittance for cost. J. B. WHITE & BROS. SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA.

Uongkong, 11th Auril, 1883.

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C. J. Strome

THE NEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE TAKIN

Hongkong, 24th April, 1891.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.,

TAT BREWER Has just received a New Stock of TENNIS

Avre's All Cane Handle Cricket Bats au

Also Cigarette and Cigar Cases.

Chesp Photo Frames.

INFORMATION has been received from the MILITARY AHTHORITIES that ARTILLERY PRACTICE will take place from the BATTERY at BELCHEE'S POINT, on the 29th and 30th instant, between the Hours of 10 a.m. and 1 P.M. The line of fire will be in a North-Westerly direction from the Battery. All Ships, Junks and other Vessels are

Colonial Secretary's Office. Hongkong, 25th April, 1891.

INSTANTANEOUS VIEWS, GROUPS and POR-TRAITS are taken in any state of the weather, and all Permanent Propesses, are executed on Moderate Terms. STUDIO-IOE HOUSE LANE. (8) RIFFITH'S PHOTOGRAPHIC

YERA begs to announce to the public that his STUDIO, No. 8, AL ENAL BTREET, WANCHAL has been ENLARGED and entirely REFITTED, LIGHTED,

Hongkong, 20th April, 1891. AUCTIONS.

SUNDRY HOUSEHOLD CRETONNE COVERED DRAWING. MARBLE-TOP CENTRE and SIDE-

DINING TABLE, SIDEBOARD with Bevelled Glass Back, WHATNOTS, CHEF- Fixed for 12 months, 5 per Cent. per Annum. FONIER, CROCKERY, GLASS and PLAT- Fixed for 6 months, 4 per Cent. per Annum. DOUBLE IRON BEDSTEADS with On Current Deposit Accounts 2 per Cent. per WIRE SPRING MATTRESS. DOUBLE | Annum on the daily balance. and SINGLE WARDROBES with Plate Glass Doors, CAMPHORWOOD CHEST

MILLINERY, DRAPERY, AND HABERDASHERY.

The above will be on view on Friday next. G. R. LAMMERT.

LIMITED.

BANKERS: THE HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK. ING CORPORATION. of VIEWS some NEW SCENES and Photos. Money advanced on Mortgage of Land er

> Victoria Buildings. Hongkong, 3rd May, 1889.

> MICHAELSEN, Esq. - Deputy Chairman.

On Current Deposit Account at the sate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance.

Interest allowed on Deposits:-

1.-The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shanghai INET Benking Corporation, on their premises in Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 10 "1884" to 3; Saturdays, 10 to 1. 2.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No depositor may deposit more than \$2,500 in any one year. 8.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having

his Pass Book are necessary.

F. DE BOVIS. Acting Chief Manager. Hongkong, 1st January, 1891.

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NEW HOSIERY To HAND, Ex RECENT ARRIVALS.

BILK and SPUN SILK HALF-HOSE. WHITE and FANCY COLOURED LIEL THREAD HALF-HOSE. FANCY COLOURED and STRIFE MERINO HALF-HOSE. NATURAL WOOL HALF-HOSE.

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BALBRIGGAN HALF-HOSE. MARINE BLUE, SLATE, DRAB, OT-TON HALF-HOSE. VERTICAL STRIPES,

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KUHN & CO. (Established, 1869). THE ORIENTAL FINE ART DEFOT Known as the Oldest and most reliable Estab, ordinary times may perhaps be doubted, but has been formed by them, and the Government lishment in the East.

WINES AND SPIRIT

Hongkong, 9th February, 1891.

BY APPOINTMENT. S.: WATSON & Co, LIMITED (ESTABLISHED A.D. 1841:) HONGKONG.

We invite attention to the following oldlanded Brands, all of which are excellent quality and good value for the money. The same being specially selected by our London House, and bought direct from themost noted Shippers, are imported in wood and bittle by ourselves, thus embling us to supply the best growths at moderate prices. In ordering it is only necessary testate

and initial letter for quality desired Orders through Local Post or by Telegramseeive prompt attention. PORTS. (For Invalide and general use),

Case. Pa Bot. Alto Doure, good quality, Green Capsule\$10 Vintage, superior quality, Fine Old Vintage, superior quality, Black Seal Very Fine Old Vintage, extra superior, Violet Capsulo (Old Bottled) 18 1.5 A Delicate Pale Dry, dinner

wine, Green Capsule..... 6 Superior Pale Dry, dinner wine, Green Seal Capsule 7.500.7 C Manzanilla, Pole Natural Sherry, White Capsula..... 10 1.00 CC Superior Old Dry. Pale Natural Sherry. Red Seal Capsule 10 1.00 D Very Superior Old Pale Day, choice old Wine,

White Seal Capsule...... 12 1.10 E Extra Superior Old Pale Dry, very finest quality, Black Seal Capsule (Old 14- 1.25 Per Case. Pr Case.

Quarts. CLARETS. A Superior Breakfast Claret, St. Estephe, Red Capsule... 4.505.00 C St. Julien 7 7.50 BRANDY.

A Hennessy's Old Pale: Red B Superior Very Old Cognac, C Very Old Liqueur Cognac, D Hennessy's Finest Very Old Liqueur , Cognac, 1872 Vintage, Red Capsule 24 2.00

SCOTCH WHISKY. A Thorne's Blend, White Cap-Watson's Glenotchy Mel-low Blend, Blue Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark, 8 0.75 Watson's Aholour-Glenlivet. Red Capsule, with Name and Trade Mark 8 0-75 D Watson's H K D Blend of the Finest Scotch Malt Whiskies, Violet Capsule... 10 1.00

E Watson's Very Old Liquenr Scotch Whisky, Gold Cap-IRISH WHISKY. A John Jameson's Old, Green B John Jameson's Fine Old, Green Capsule C John Jameson's Very Fine Old, Green Capsule 19 1.10

GENUINE BOURSON WHISKY.

fine old, Red Capsule, with Name 10 1.00 A Fine (eld Tom, White Cap-B Fine Unsweetened, White Fine A. V. H. Geneva 5.25 0.50

Finest Old Jamaica. Violet Good Leeward Island .: \$1.50 per Gallon. LIQUEURS. Benedictine 'Maraschino' Heering's Cherry Cordial

the wife of J. B. CAMERON, of a son.

At Shanghai, on the 22nd April, WILLIAM ABRAM

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HONGKONG, APRIL 29TH. 1811.

Under the new Postsi Convenion be-

tween England and France it is provided

that the French mail steamers an still to longer termed the status of a mar-of-war. British mail steamers are to enjoy the same option of one month's imprisonment. status in the ports of France, so that to this extent there is complete reciproity, but

several occasions having obstructed or disnew Convention that the local authorities | should be a crowded house. may claim the expulsion from on board of

warrant for any crimes or offences who may to be observed is that notice is to be given to the Cousul of the hour at which the The Kobe paper says that the island search is to be made. It is further provided Tsushima, near Koren, is eager to secure colonists. that the search shall not delay the departure marine products, while there is plenty of arable SHANGHAI SPRING RACE MEETING. of the vessel for more than an hour after land, besides vest forests only waiting the advent the time of departure fixed in the time of labour to become highly productive. At pretables of the Company (which are to be duly adhering to their primitive methods of agriculture communicated by the respective Companies do not know how to make the best of the advantto each port of call), a provision to which no Nakano favours the idea of emigration, and there exception can be taken; for every one must is evidently plenty of room there for much inrecognise the importance of not unnecessarily delaying the mails. In order to secure the enjoyment of the privileges conferred from a native paper :- Intelligence from Shansi by this article the respective Companies reports that rich deposits of iron and coal have are to give bonds to satisfy the legal consequences of any liability incurred either by

the captains of their packets or by the cont-

nanies themselves. One of the objections taken to the giving to petition the Throne to sanction the forming of a man-of-war status to foreign mail stea. The ores are pronounced to be superior to those mers was the prestige it was supposed to from the Kaiping Mines. confer on those vessels as compared with British merchant vessels. Whether this Kores are showing considerable enterprise. prestige has any actual commercial value in navigation company called the Saitsu Kaisha whatever it may be worth it will remain un- ed amount of capital has prevented them as der the new Convention very much what it yet owning any vessels, but some time ago Mr. was before, and in the event of war the favoured vessels will enjoy a very substantial the Shoju-mara, a sailing vessel. She has made advantage. Article IX. provides that 'Ih the case of war between the two nations the packets of the two Administrations and Gensan. shall continue their navigation without impediment or molestation until a notifica-"tion is made on the part of either of the "two Governments of the discontinuance of postal communications, in which case they shall be permitted to return freely, journalism, though of course the great difference and under special protection, to their rethe name and quantity of Wine or Spirit wated, offices might demand a heavy war risk from other vessels at a time when the relations between France and England were strained. the steamers of the P. and O. and Mes-

> of the Convention specially affects Hongkong. and that is as regards the sorting of the French mails on board the steamers. was-thought that this question had been settled nearly two years ago. The promised facilities were, however, withdrawn in February, 1890, the Director-General of French Posts and Telegraphs writing as follows :-"In consequence, however, of the abandonment of the Anglo-French Postal Con-"vention of the 24th September, 1856, it stream and the risk their papers and other be-"has seemed proper to postpone the carry-"ing out of the works contemplated on when the roads have been flooded several of his "board our said packets till the conditions "of the favoured régime which shall be "ing at the ports of the two countries "shall have been settled by mutual agree-"and Great Britain." The "conditions of the favoured régime" having now been Granted. determined, the French Administration will no doubt be willing to renew its offer to afford facilities for marine sorters to Case. For Bot. Hongkong. This will save from two to able go betweens, to get the foreigners com- in the short interval of engrossing private busiin time would be worth the cost in money. For our own part we are inclined to think it cable between Tamsui and Foochow was broken, when I was leaving the Colony a year ago. already said all I have to say on the subject. tioned in the Legislative Council the tenboon receiving messages from the mainland, to some here to-day to give you an opportunity "lenoy was unable to be present at, and take implies that I, as Governor of the colony, had expressed policy of twenty years that new that the opposite direction. Before concluding

meantime have undergone some change.

H.B.M.'s Consul at Chinking, is going home on twelve months' leave, and Mr. A. Allen of Amoy takes his place.

Liu Chin-t'ang, Governor of Kansub and the New Dominion, has been obliged by the death of his grandmether to resign his appointment and retire into mourning.

The General Managers (Messrs. Jardine, pere at 6 p.m. on the 27th inst for this port.

losses sustained by teamen last year, very little Chartreuse Dr. Siegert's Augostura business is done. The prospects of the trade Bitters, de. are not very promising this year. An Osaka paper says that the sugar crop

the wife of J. Rhein, Esq., of the Netherlade Con- to about 300,000 barrels, was already sent out. Two men whose rendition has been applied

> Recently one of the Chinese patients in the Malapi Estate hospital was heard screaming, and on the apothecary enquiring the cause it was found that a snake had coiled round the man's neck during his sleep. The snake escaped but the man died of fright.-North Borneo Herald.

Chan Kai against whom there were a num. ber of previous convictions, was charged at the enjoy an exceptional status, though it is no Police Court yesterday with conveying certain articles to a prisoner in the Gaol. Defendant admitted the charge and was fined \$10 with the

he friction under the old Convention, the the princely income of 14,000 years year.

commanders of the French mail steamers on |. The last Assault at Arms of the senson of the Lorne Athletic Club, A. & S. Highlanders, is to be given to-night. With prices reduced; smok tinople. allowed such search. It is provided in the ing allowed, and an excellent performance there

The N.C. Daily News of the 23rd April says persons wanted in pursuance of a regular -Great regret was expressed in the Settlements of official calls. yesterday at the news of the death, which occurred at Hankow on Tuesday afternoon, of have taken rouge or embarked in mail Mr. William Forbes Sharp. Mr. W. F. Sharp boats, and, in case of necessity, searches may was one of the oldest residents and most popular mon at Hankow and was very well known in be carried out on board such vessels by the Shanghai, and liked wherever known. The competent authorities. The only formality surviving brother, Mr. Charles S. Sharp, is now in Hongkong.

It has an area of 64 square ri and is rich in ages they are surrounded with. Governor dustrial enterprise.—

The Mercury translates the following item. been found in the prefecture of Cheh-chew. It is now proposed to open up mines in the five districts of Eung-Tai, Koa-Ping, Yang-Sha, Ling-Chuen, and Shing Shan in the Cheh-Chow prefeeture. The local capitalists have reported the find to the provincial authorities begging them of a company for the purpose of working the mines.

The Hyogo News writes :- The Japanese in Benhasheku came to Kobe and contracted with Mr. S. Tanaka of the Tanaka-gumi to charter one or two trips most successfully, and if this snocess continues the Company will charter three steamers to run between Jinsen, Fusan,

The Japan Mail has the following note: -On Wednesday, the 11th of March, the New York Sun which is published every morning, contain ed an excellent portrait of the Hon J. F. Swift who had died the preceding evening at? o'clock in Tokyo. This was a remarkably quick feat of in time between Tokyo and New York must be taken into account. Something similar, though spective ports." Thus, while insurance less striking, was accomplished by the Choyo Shimbun. Its present editor, a gentleman o exceptional attainments and ability, visited the United States Legation in the afternoon of the day succeeding Mr. Swift's death, and asked for a photograph of the deceased Minister. No copy was available, however, and the editor had sageries Maritimes would enjoy a safe cono go in search of one elsewhere. He succeeded for in the Choya of the following morning a There is one point on which the conclusion | capital likeness of Mr. Swift appeared, accompanied by a full account of his life.

It is satisfactory to find that there are at least two high Chinese officials who have become a little slive to the value of time and sensible of the comforts afforded by steamboat travelling. In the Peking Gazette of the Let April appear the following :- Chang Chih tung and the Provincial Examiner of Hupeh ask for permission to allow the latter to proceed by steamer to conduct the examinations at Chingchow and Ichang. They describe very graphically the extreme inof conveyance; the long delays beating up against longings run of being lost or damaged by water. The Examiner mentions that on former trips coolies have been drowned by mistaking the paths, and all the inhabitants having fled before the water no accommodation was to he had for "applicable in future to mail packets touch. man or beast. To proceed by steamer would in every way be a saving, no risk would be run. the journey would be accomplished in two or three days, and the students be saved the vexations ment between the Governments of France delays they have had to undergo in former years while awaiting the arrival of the Examiner who has met with delays and difficulties on the road.-

It is reported from Takow (says the N. C. Daily News) that the Taotai implicated in the recent outrage on an American hong has been travel with the mails between Saigon and making frantic efforts, through the indispens- this in haste, and possibly with reluctance, for all practical purposes he might just as well three hours in the sorting of the mails on of course, nothing came of the attempt. Just consideration to this letter and have thus failed usually done little beyond agreeing with him, it arrival. On the other hand the Colony will after the trouble began it was announced that to appreciate its taste, its tone, its matter and its they have not the time to write speeches themhave to pay the salaries of the marine sorters the land-line was interrupted between Takow effect. I cannot think this can be otherwise selves might simply express their more or less and the other attendant expenses, and the munication with the mainland. It leaked out, hitherto been on friendly relations, from there is any great loss in the absence of such question presents itself whether the saving however, that there was constant telegraphing some of whom I have received kindness, and a discussion in Council in the present heated so the next step taken was to announce that the ly recall, the words he used in public case advantage in my presence at it when I have would, but when the matter was last men. and no notice was given of its repair; even after It is only because I am of opinion that this Then you go on to say:the Chinese merchants declared that they had letter was signed hastily that I have asked you . "It was very unfortunate that your Exceldency of opinion seemed to tend rather in Hongkong, and Japan. Residents at Takow fear of reconsidering your position after you have part in, the last debate in Council on the sub-The Daily News announces that Mr. Carles, see how the foreign residents are getting on.

The annual meeting of the members and seatholders of Union Church was held yesterday afternoon, the Rev. G. H. Bondfield presiding. The report of the committee of management, including the report of the building committee, was adopted and votes of thanks were passed to the honorary On the 23nd April, at St. John's College, Sanghai, year. Nearly half of the crop, which smounted be wife of J. Rhene For of the Netherland Contract of the Netherland Contract of the continuance of the co Discussion ensued and objection was taken by some of these present to the church as a church taking any solion in the matter, the speakers of the same up at the Police Court yesterday, the charge holding that it was a question for the ratebeing that of burglary and murder. Formal evil payers. Ultimately a motion was adopted to "official correspondence should pass through the course of the discussion said it had been "consider that it implies anything derogatory be given on the spur of the moment, very credit colony will probably be much altered and that are known and considered I shall be justified reported that he was going to sign the petition to the differ from you entirely. As to the next paragraph, I do not wish to refer judgment I value. If you do not entirely withdraw it, that Union Church had been assisted by grants "instance, it would doubtless have moderated now being its unfortunate that to questions of consistency. If members think letter—or if you do not entirely withdraw it. of land, and be thought misapprehension on those "the tone of some of those letters which I was not present at the last meeting, hencetly that such a change his occurred since so after it as to make it unobjectionable—I or land, and de unought misapprenension on those the tone of some of those of some of the country of the countr he had also been asked to sign the petition, and good one, that where correspondence which have not been in the position then to make a and if you honestly think these increases It has already caused some harm, because it has that he had been requested by some of the contains matter in the least degree. I will have not been in the position then to make a and if you honestly think these increases It has already caused some harm, because it has that he had been requested by some of the contains maker in the local which might members of his Chinese congregation to explain not say impassioned, but which tends to be statement of my judgment in the same calm and are not possible as regards, the permanent necessitated the devotion of time which might statement of my judgment in the same calm and are not possible as regards, the permanent necessitated the devotion of time which might statement of my judgment in the same calm and are not possible as regards, the permanent necessitated the devotion of time which might to them its meaning, as they also had been asked so, it is far better that it pass through a deliberate manner that I shall now, and I venture change in the Colony, you are perfectly right in have been much better employed, and I cannot deliberate manner that I shall now, and I venture change in the Colony, you are perfectly right in have been much better employed, and I cannot deliberate manner that I shall now, and I venture The three men charged with keeping a gamb- to sign it. 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I shall not refer further to the expect that the heavy pressure of work which the limit person. ling house in East Street, who were so eleverly petition was objected to by some of those present not the slightest intention of derogating extreme deliberation, and without the newhereas the French mail steamer have to ling house in East Street, who were so cleverly petition was objected to by some of those present not the slightest intention of decommend, would have I must say the inconsistency appears to be of do otherwise than preclude me from doing much captured by Inspector Hennessy two days ago, at the meeting last night was the representation from your dignity. It indeed never occurry that I must say the inconsistency appears to be of do otherwise than preclude me from doing much captured by Inspector Hennessy two days ago, at the meeting last night was the representation from your dignity. 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There was a good deal of saluting yesterday

on the occasion of the visit of the Military Commander-in-Chief at Canton and the interchange Owing to the continued drought it has been considered necessary by the Government to

will be found in our advertisement columns. Haiphong has been suffering from a serious epidemic of small-pox, many Europeans as well as natives suffering from the disease. At the date of last advices the epidemic was rapidly

entrance, Tls. 5. Half-a mile.

SECOND DAY, TUESDAY, 28TH APRIL he Chu-Ka-za Cur: value, Tis. 100: for China ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winners of one rade since let October, 1890, 71bs. extra; two or more races, 10lbs. extra;

Mr. Chonfleur's False Alarm ... THE SHANGHAI DERBY, a sweepstakes of Tla being bond fide griffins at date of entry; first pony to receive 75 per cent.; second pony, 15 per cent.; third peny, 10 per cent; weight for inches as per scale. One mile and a half. Mr. Kilmain's Bubbling Well THE LADIES' POBSE, for China ponies;

weight for inches as per scale; entrance, Tla 5. One mile and a quarter. Mr. Sassoon's Zephyr..... 1

Tls. 5. Two miles. Mr. Chantrey's Antocrat sweepstakes of Tls. 10 each: second pony to receive 40 per cent, and the third pony 10 per cent. of the stakes; for China Pouiss, bona fide griffins at date of entry; weight for inchas as per scale: winner of the Derby, 71bs.

Mr. Hampton's Comus The Spring Cup. value. Tls. 100, added to a sweepstakes of Tls. 10 ench, less Tls. 50 to the second pony : for China ponies that have never won a race; weight, 11st. for 13 hands; to give or take 6lbs. for every inch over or under. One mile.

Mr. Worthy's Chimera The SHANGHAI STAKES, a forced entry of The 5 for all ponies, except those entered in the Roadsters' plate; first pony to receive 75 per cent.; second pony, 15 per cent.; third pony 10 per cent, of the stakes: weight for inches as per scale. One mile and a half. Mr. Sassoon's Hero

The Taorar's Cup, value. Tls.—; presented H.E. the Tactai : for China ponies : weight 12st.; winners at this meeting, 5lbs. extra; entrance, Tls. 5. One mile. Mr. Newboy's Black Leaf 1

The CHAU-SHANG-KIUK CUP; value, Tls .founded by the directors and employes of the C. M. S. N. Co.; for China ponies that have never run at any meeting in China or Hongkong previous to date of entry at each meet ing; to be won at two consecutive meetings. or three times in all, by ponies the bond fide property of the same owner or owners : weight ! for inches as per scale ; entrance, Tls. 10 : 80 per cent, of the entrance fees to go to the winner nutil the cup is won, when the second pony shall receive same: the remaining 20 accumulation in excess of Tls. 500 (to be retained for a new cup) is to be paid to the winner. One mile. Mr. Sylva's Teulonio

THE GOVERNOR AND THE UNOFFICIAL MEMBERS.

The following is the shorthand writer's report of the interview which took place on Monday be tween His Excellency the Governor and the unofficial members of the Legislative Council:-HIS EXCELLENCY-Centlemen, I have asked you to be good enough to come here this morning with reference to a remarkable letter

that communication would be impeded in the heard in detail the view which I take of "ject of official salaries and on the financial some way if there were any trouble at the port; this letter, a view which after this letter has "position of the colony generally, and that, if is a very grave and utterly unwarranted imputa- British subjects would no longer be disregarded any definite agreement the Government and this accontustes the neglect of the naval been read carefully and the whole circum- "there is any adequate reply to the arguments tion. And then again there is another more out of deference to the susceptibilities of any would, we think, be well advised to take a authorities, who leave the island unvisited by stances have become known, will, I venture "put forward by Mr. Keswick, Mr. Whitehead, formal vote of the Council on the subject, men-of-war for years. It is over two years since to say, be taken by all those outside for "and the unofficial members generally, they there was a gunboat at Takow! Perhaps now whose judgment I have the least value. were not then put before the Council in any of Commerce. A considerable—time has attention will be paid to this apparently forgot—present here because he is about to succeed me Now, in the first place, it does not seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some attention will be paid to this apparently forgot—present here because he is about to succeed me Now, in the first place, it does not seem to me portions of the paragraph imply that I have some attention will be paid to this apparently forgot—present here because he is about to succeed me Now, in the first place, it does not seem to me portions of the policy I recommended, so far the second me to the Govern—that it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate—I think officially referred to a course as possible which it was in any way unfortunate. and also to obtain the views of the Chamber that there is a new Admiral on the station, more I have asked His Excellency the General to be "comprehensible shape." Sir Thomas Wade tells us that he put difficulties ment, and I have also caused a reporter to it was very fortunate—and when you have heard I well know to be practically impossible, norship of this colony. That gentlemen, is proposed arrangement was arrived at, and in the way of the opening of Chungking, be- be present in order that for all parties con- me further on the matter perhaps I may bring You begin by saying:—They can hard the part I took at a time when my career opinions of the unofficial members and of cause be disliked foreigners settling at a port cerned there may be an accurate report of what you, at all events partly, to see things in the that was inaccessible to men-of-war. Here is a occurs. I will now proceed to make such com- same light. You must remember that there had the Chamber of Commerce may in the port within two days easy steam of Hongkong ments as occur to me on this letter. I must rather been suddenly sprung upon the Government an where there are always gunboats getting mouldy reverse the order of things by beginning with issue that was entirely unexpected. It would be at their anchors, and yet the Admiral does not the last paragraph, which really should have quite easy to understand, however much one see his way to sending one over occasionally to appeared first in the letter you have sent may disapprove, the position that you had me, because it evidently had some influence on voted certain salaries last October and the letter and some effect on its tone. I mean that in consequence of the heavy military the paragraph in which you say, "In conclusion contribution you found yourselves in the position "the unofficial members submit for your Ex- that you were unable to confirm this vote now. be impossible. Here, as well as in other places, fortunate promise made, and when I came to con-" cellency's consideration if the Acting Colonial That would have been intelligible. But the I make an explanation simply on the assumption sider other facts which were put before me, such "Secretary is the proper channel of communica- issue now has been almost entirely changed, that you have not weighed the meaning of your as the enormous extent to which the British sub-"tion between your Excellency and the un- The military contribution has been left out or words-and I say therefore that I know of no ject within England is taxed in excess of what you "official members of your Council." I presume almost entirely left out of the question, for such impossibility. I know within my own are taxed here, I felt I could only take the course you mean that I should have written to the withdrawal of these increases to salaries personal experience of two colonies where the I have done and recommend that you should Goosmann), the hon, secretary (Mr. H. McCallum), you myself, and that writing through the Colonial is now justified on the ground that the condithe architect (Mr. A. Denison), and to a com- Becretary was derogatory to your dignity. The steamer Wingsong, from Calcutta, left Sings- mittee of ladies consisting of Mrs. Legge, Mrs. Colonial Secretary is the highest and the only. A most miserable picture was drawn, and existing holders of office; and these were salaries course to take whom I had deliberately come to McCallum, Mrs. Dyer-Ball, Mrs. officer here through whom I could properly I venture to say that if that picture were not recently increased but fixed for a long time that conclusion. I knew that it would be an Cobban, and Mrs. Duncau, who raised a address you, and I happen to be able to absolutely true the present condition of the cospecial fund for furnishing the pulpit, platform, give you the view the Secretary of State long would be certainly serious. That is the issue Tament has just commenced. After the heavy and vestries, and superintended the carrying takes in this matter. I know that in more that has now been valued. But I venture to say promised only from year to year under a dif-, my career. But I do not regret it. I do not reout of the work. Thanks were also voted to than one instance the right to address the that here promises should be withdrawn when it can momentary unpopularity I may have gained, and I know now certainly existed with equal force last services to be held in the Theatre while that cocasionally the practice has grown up in the church was being rebuilt. After the ordinary certain Colonies with regard to certain offices, business of the meeting was concluded one of the and that for certain reasons it has been sent position of the colony that did not exist tice to efficials. I think this involves a supposi- calmly, I know that I shall not lose one icts of seatholders introduced the question of the allowed to continue; but the rule is that all then, and I think those who put forward this tion contrary to reason, that is, that they the respect of the colony. And now, gentlemen,

with their request to telegraph to the Secretary "State to withhold temporarily and until ho " can be memorialized his approval of the pro-"posed increase of official salaries in the Colony."

You then go on to say :-"The unofficial members regret extremely "that your Excellency should, apparently withfurther curtail the water supply. Particulars "out any sufficient reason, have delayed your "reply to their communication for a week, and should have, ugain without reason assigned, refrained from holding any meetings of Coun-oil for so long an interval. They regret this the more as your Excellency's approaching departure will evidently prevent the possibility

last meeting of Council Hon. Mr. Whitehead attacked at length on a large number of points derany circumstances therefore I should not have the present condition of the Colony. He attacked not only the position of the Colony, oredit. Now, I need hardly say that a serious witch's intimation reached me I had informed but I venture to say that he attacked its attack of this kind coming from so responsible a quarter requires the most careful consideration, attention, and respect. Most careful enquiries 15 each, with Tls. 100 added; for China ponies had to be made to discover whether the facts mentioned by the hon, gentleman were correct or not. I had to get returns from a number of quarters, and it has taken time and inbour to prepare them. I had to go over these with the most careful attention to see whether the hon, member's statements were true or not, and if they were true to come forward and tell you. however much we might regret it, that such was the condition of the colony. I need hardly tell you The Race Club Cup, value, Tls. 150; for China | that it required very careful consideration and a ponies; weight for inches as per scale; winners | very long time to prepare the statement to lay be at this meeting of a race of one mile or under, fore the public and the Council in a way to carry 3lbs. extra; over a mile, 7lbs. extra; they have a right to expect. Now the wor penalties accumulative up to 10lbs.; entrance, of this Colony has of late years enormously increased, and a conscientions Governor has to give many hours a day of close attention to the The Concordia Cup, value, Tls. -; presented mere administrative business, and it is only ba by members of the Club Concordia, added to a cause my failing strength has rendered it imadditional time required for despatches and legislative business, as well as for taking a satisfactory part in the social life of the Colony-I say, only on this very account that my duty to give up my position here. Now, considering that most of you know, for it was commonly known in the colony, what was my present condition, and considering that I am about to depart from an honourable position two years before the proper time for bringing my administration to a close, and at the same time to end

a pareer which I might reasonably have hoped at all events would have extended for some years longer, I think even the smallest particle human consideration would have prevented you writing this letter and throwing upon me an im putation such asthis paragraph conveys. I have simply not held meetings of the Council because thought that not a single meeting should take place after such statements had been made without the Government being in a position to say whether they were correct or not. It was simply because I was absolutely unable in the time to finish the statement I was preparing consistently with performing the other work which falls to me every day that I have not held meetings. However, as I told you in my las letter. I had intended to hold meetings this week,

and before I received this letter I had fixed on tomorrow. Now, my course is largely dependent on the result of this meeting. It is impossible to say what it may be, but at all events I have quite determined that I shall not leave the colony without giving in some way the full statement I have prepared. As to opportunity for discussion thereon, that will be abundant whether I am here or not here. Now with reper cent. to be allowed to accumulate, and the gard to not holding meetings you say a little further on:--"They regret this the more as your Excel

lenoy's approaching departure will evidently "prevent the possibility of the discussion in Council of any statement you may be preparing on the subjects now under consideration." Now you have rightly gathered that I an making such a statement, but it seems to me that my presence in this matter is matter of very small consequence. It does not seem to me that my presence in the Conncil will in any way affect the matter because when you have from me my deliberate expression of opinion and the whole facts placed at your disposal you will have perfect liberty of discussion whether I am here or not, and even if you had not that liberty in the Council you can priones the same effect by giving your views which I have received from you, a letter which to the public. You have nothing to do but to I need coarcely say caused me much surprise, send them to the newspapers. The hon, mem: After giving the matter-careful consideration ber who raised this question of salaries write I have been forced to the conclusion, which out his speeches at length as is usually the case I sincerely trust is correct, that you have signed | with all good speeches, and it seems to me that predore to admit that he was in the wrong, but, ness, and that you have thus given insufficient Council. And the other hon, members, who have and Taipeh Fu, the object being to stop com- than the case with man with whom I have qualified assent. I therefore do not see that going on between the Taotai and the Governor, as to one of whom I shall always grateful- atmosphere; nor that there would be in any

The Japanese cruiser Kongo, Captain S. "the 21st instant, in which in reply to theirs of intention. Now, what are the facts? I presume no information as to my intentions, "Breach of Stake applied have been sent and the sent of the sen Let me ask you to consider the position. At the severely taxed a few days before, under circumstances known to some of his officers. Probably unbeen able to attend. But it happens that his calling was not my reason for not attending. Early in the morning and before H. I. H. the Czaroa severe ordeal as a meeting of Council would involve. I think, gontlemen, you are aware. at any rate some of you, which makes your signing this letter the more remarkable, that only two nights before that meeting, when I had dinner party for the Russian Admiral, the British Admiral, the General, and a number of

others, I was taken with one of those seizures to which I have been recently subject, and I was unable to leave my sofa and receive my guests. Now, when you knew that I think you might have supposed that my condition for two. or three days would not be such as to enable me aftend any such meeting as that, and that that was my reason for not attending the Council.

discussion. When the military contribution having commented so far on your letter, let me was being discussed I twice invited discussion, say again that I have received it with exceeding which was declined, and in the statement which pain as well as surprise, pain not because I intend to put forward I think I thall be able of the unworthy imputations and disrespect to give my reasons for saying with reference shown—those I could afford to disregard—but to this question that the question at the present that such a letter should come to me from moment is simply one whether the colony is in | men with whom I have been, as I have said, on such a truly hopeless condition as to be unable such friendly relations up to this, the end of to pay the salaries this year, and at the same my career. That causes me very great pain time discharge in full its obligations to its other | indeed, and I felt surprise as well as pain, that creditors. I shall give my reasons claswhere. Now we pass on to the next paragraph:-

'Unofficial members Council dissatisfied with financial position and prospects; request post-

clines forward telegram. 'ment within this financial year of the increased 'salaries, to suspend its operation until the Me-'merial they are now preparing, your Excellency's mitted to and considered by him." until I have spoken on another paragraph, where a similar spirit is more completely shown. I cannot with regard to the next paragraph

putations on my character :-

The first imputation is a very serious one. It with reference to their deliberately and frequently serious imputation in the statement. "Breach of foreign Power. That was the course I took "contract there is none whatever, and cannot be, when I believed the colonists to be in the right. "as your fixcellency, being a lawyer, very well Her Majesty's Government were generous, how-"knows" This unmistakably suggests and other over, and having become convinced of the rea-"seriously when you propose to let the enhanced career is about to close, when I have nothing "amounts be paid this year as they have been further to expect from Hor Majesty's Govern-"voted, and to consider the advisability of an ment except what must come in due convec in "equally large reduction when the Estimates any case, I need hardly point out that I have for next year are laid on the table. That, as special inducements to take a popular course "your Excellency well knows, is practically an with regard to this colony. But when I came "impossibility." That is, that I have deliberately to consider the whole facts contained in the Sesuggested a course of conduct which I know to cretary of State's despatches, apart from the unthat a counter petition should be prepared. and when on one occasion a Chief Justice venture to say, considering you are pleased to being a grave injustice because no man would ter. If you do not do so I shall of course "Colonial Secretary's office where the official plies received from the Acting Colonial Secretary hat he would get. That would be a very real shall in this case at all events feel that I had of the committee to take action should they "papers of the Colony are recorded. The con-

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> whether its writer intended to achieve its apparent object; for it is difficult for me Now, the next paragraph says :- "The unofficial to conceive, his believing that any repremembers hope that your Excellency will ar. sentative of Her Majesty would be so range for at least two meetings of Council abject, I may say so craven, as to submit to to be held before your departure for the dis- dictation of this kind. As I have said before cussion you have so often invited of the position I shall do what I believe to be right in this matand prospects of the Colony and its resources." ter without the slightest reference to this letter I have already said a good deal on the subject of or anything contained in it. Now, gentlemen, the letter should have come from any members of a community which I have served to the best "As your Excellency has refused to wire the of my abilities for the last three years. As Secretary of State, the unofficial members said before, I cannot believe that you, or that all have done so themselves in the following of you, when you signed this, considered the effect of a great many of these words, and would have addressed to me a letter, to me above all others, to whom you have yourselves pone increase Salaries; further consideration hitherto used strong terms of consideration required preparing Memorial. Governor de- and respect. You, have addressed me a letter not only disrespectful, absolutely dis-"They have now formally to request your Ex- respectful in many passages, but containing in cellency, in the event of a despatch being receive it not one single word indicative of respect ed from the Secretary of State authorizing pay- from beginning to end. It was matter of surprise to me that you should address such a letter to Her Majesty's representative at all, and as I said before I cannot

This, taken with other passages of this

remarkable letter, leads me gravely to doubt

views on the subject about to be submitted to believe that you entirely thought of the Council, and the consequent debate be sub- effect of your words. If this letter is withdrawn I shall be most anxious to do anything think I will defer what I have to say on this in my power to bring about that harmony which before existed, though it is scarcely possible to believe that any person who could write such a letter as this would be conciliated believe that it was intended to imply what it by anything I could do, nor do I feel as regards unquestionably conveys, that is two grave im- the writer, whether he is one of you or not, that I have any great desire to conciliate him. I am cer-"The anofficial members are still very decid- tain, however, that some of you could not have edly of opinion that the financial position and thought of the effect of your words, and I sinprospectaof the colony are not such as to render | cerely trust that you will take this opporit prudent to grant just at present the very tunity of withdrawing thom. Whether large increase of salaries now proposed. disrespect was intended or not I am happy They can hardly think that your Excel- to believe that in this matter at all events lency speaks seriously"—speaks seriously! you do not represent the community. It is only -when you propose to let the enhanced a year ago that on leaving the colony I received amounts be paid this year as they have been universal expressio s of regard from the whole voted, and to consider the advisability of an colony, yourselves included, and I can conscienequally large reduction (I never spoke of an | tiously say that I have done nothing since to equally large reduction,) when the estimates for justify any less of that respect. I am glad to next year are laid on the table. That, as your know that I have not forfeited the respect Excellency well knows, is practically an impost of the colony. Had I any doubt on the sibility. An increase of salaries once voted and subject the numerous and touching communipaid must stand. To act as you propose would cations I have received since the news of my be a very grave injustice to the officials. No approaching departure became known would man would know from year to year how to adjust | dispel any such doubt. Moreover, I had every reahis expenditure. No injustice can be done by a son to believe that I had your respect also until delay in payment now and in a reconsideration | the rise of this unfortunate question of military of the whole question, for as the increases have | contribution. Now, had I been a mere timenever yet been definitely sanctioned no man has server it would have been an exceedingly easy a right to calculate on it. Breach of contract thing for me to have simply passed this vote as there is none whatever, and cannot be, as your instructed without my allowing the public to Excellency being a lawyer very well knows. The suppose that I approved of it. In that case unofficial members are by no mans opposed to I was perfectly aware that I should retain "an increase of salaries to such an extent as is my popularity. I had, moreover, special temp-"right and proper and called for by the in- tations to take such a course, seeing that my creased cost of living and as far as the colony's | carrer was almost finished, and that I should there, finances will permit, but they feel strongly by have avoided an imputation of inconsistency "that, granted that they signed a report recom- but unfortunately honesty would not allow of mending an increase, it was a mistake to make such a course. In the last colony I was in, "the increase equivalent to 35 per cent. in many Newfoundland, when I believed the interests of "instances. One of the unofficial members in- the colonists were seriously threatened I did not deed objected to so large an increase in Do- hesitate to use to Her Majesty's Government on "comber last, when there was still time without | their behalf language which it was commonly sup-"inconvenience to have the whole subject inves- posed would have caused my being recalled from my office. I said to Her Majesty's Government

deem it advisable to do so. The Chairman in "venience of this course is obvious, nor do I hensible indeed, and considering they had to it be really the case, that the circumstances of the certain, as I said before, that when all the facts reported that he was going to sign the petition "to the dignity of the Chief Justice. If such able ones to the officers concerned. I venture you will not be able to grant it him any further. public opinion, I mean the opinion of these whose rates. The Rev. Dr. Chalmers mentioned that which I know from long experience to be a member I should probably have felt inclined to as that which prevents one from acknow. remaining to me to see that the rapture created

port at which the P. & O. Company's Court yesterday morning, when a sentence of ligious facilities for the poor, whereas St. the Colonial Becretary, who is next in pre- fore that it was fortunate that I was not imagine that the writer of this paragraph duly sion and commission, that under happier anapices that I was fortunate that I was not imagine that the writer of this paragraph duly sion and commission, that under happier anapices that I was fortunate that I was not imagine that the writer of this paragraph duly sion and commission, that under happier anapices that I was fortunate that I was not imagine that the writer of this paragraph duly sion and commission, that under happier anapices that I was fortunate that I was not imagine that the writer of this paragraph duly sion and commission, that under happier anapices that I was fortunate that I was not imagine that the writer of this paragraph duly sion and commission, that under happier anapices. steamers call is Marseilles. The privilege, inflicted in each case. the one side than to the other. But truth to the other. But truth to the other tell, it seems to possess very little rine what salaries as their European control time was anything derogatory to possess very little rine was anything derogatory to possess very little rine was anything derogatory to possess their entries and salaries as their forms. I can aimply say that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that if he had really thought over the matter.

Actors in Japan (says the Hyogo News) come any assistance from the State whatever. The passing of the that I feel that I was right in doing so on the discussion terminated with the passing of the that I feel that I was right on the little rine was anything derogatory to possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess or not I care not in the least, but with the passing of the that I feel that I was right or not I care not in the least, but with the passing of the that I feel that I was right on the little rine whole work done amongst the poor without the rine cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether possess that true cause, and I shall go away, whether true cause, and I shall go away, whether true cause, and I shall go away, whether true cause, and I shall go away that true true true c ever in times of peace. The right of search 3,500 year for every engagement he makes with was not to be regarded as antagonistic to the now proceed to deal with the other portions of which, whatever may be the intention, it certainly may be, will not be in the smallest degree in and strenuously devoted the best efforts of my failfor fugitive criminals or debtors is clearly the Kabukiss at Tokyo, a sum which averages Cathedral, but merely as empowering the dom- the letter. The first paragraph as that I might have attended the finenced by such a paragraph as that. The ing strength and ability. Now, gentlemen, you

HIS EXCELLENCY-If it appeared inconthe allight of the meeting when we received the came the dominant licence.

notice. The unofficial members would like time to confer together. HIS EXCELLENCY-Very well,

to be disrespectful. hear the avowal. I can only suppose the application. that you could not bave considered your sufficient to say they are not means. Hon. P. Ryrie-About the neople at home

being taxed-His Excellency-That is a side issue. Do considered the establishment thoroughly mode not bring it in. One word more. I know sirable and the locality wholly unsuitable. The that withdrawing is an extremely difficult thing application would therefore be refused: always, but more especially where the extraordinary course is taken of publishing a letter of this kind almost simultaneously with its receipt. But at is scarcely necessary totall you that when you feel as you must now do, that your position is a wrong one, it shows the highest moral courage not to hold to it but to withdraw from

The meeting then closed.

GRAND ASSAULT-AT-ARMS IN THE CITY HALL.

a thost successful assault-at-arms in the City Hall, will replace M. Danel as Lieut.-Governor of on Monday night, to which it is to be regretted Coohin-China. more civilians did not turn out. The performance was under the patronage of His Excellency, little regret the news of the approaching departhe Governor and of General Barker. The pro. ture of Mr. Coombs, the amiable and genial agent, gramme opened with a salfafactory exhibition of or directeur as he is termed here, of the Hongkong dumb-bell exercise by; a squad of some desen and Shanghai Bank at this port. Mr. and Mrs. men, who were followed by another equad as ex- Coombs will be greatly missed socially. Mrs. pouents of the feats that can be done on parallel Coombs's cheerful lawn tennis parties have done boys, one of whom had the appropriate name much to brighten up the dull and eventless of J. L. Sullivan. After a sufficient amount round of life here, so apt, to induce the nostalof pommelling of each other; they were succeeded gia which is common in Cochin-China. Mr. by Sergt. Dros and Lunios Corpl. Inglis, who Coombs proceeds to Manila to take the agency A squar of men ovinced careful training in sword exercise, their movements being simul. many friends, and carry with him to the Philip. tausons. Fencing and ancient combat received pines the best wishes not only of all the Eurogood illustration from Lieut. Grant and Corpl.
M Laughlin, while the heavy weight boxing of Privates Hanley and Stewart, in which the Saigon. former was victorious, left nothing to be desired. Physical drill by a squad of boys under Sargt. Major Williamson was parefully gone barough as was also the next item. " vaulting horse, by a squad of men. Some excellent feats were then performed on the borizontal bar, which gave place to a single-stick combat by Colour-Sergt. Brown and Sorgt. Dyos. followed by a goneral meles in a number of combatants whacked one another and was received with royal salutes by the Britto their hearts' content. Bing exercise was an lish and Chinese gunboats anchored off the bund. interesting feature of the programme, and bay- H.E. Chang Chih-tung, Vicercy of the Hukung, onet exercise was accurately performed. Bay- in the Chinese man-of-war attached to this staonet w. bayonet by Privates Fiddes and Stewart, tion at once steamed down the river to meet him. and the light weight boxing between other two and went on board the Prince's vessel to welcome members, where exhibitions. The the distinguished strangers, the first-heirs to sailor's hernous was neatly danced by J. L. European thrones who have ever visited the Sullivan, and the mounted combat was sufficient. heart of China. Great crowds had gathered ly amusing to please all. The programme closed above the barriers and lined the shores amidst with "A Scene of Life on Active Service," re- the firing of salutes, and the British Concession alistic enough in all conscience. The vagaries with its fine central arch and long rows of of the clowns throughout the performance caused flags and pennants presented a very animatno and of amusement. A second performance was ed appearance. After receiving the visit of plade this evening.

THE SUICIDE AT VICTORIA BARRACKS.

MAGISTERIAL ENQUIRY. concerning the death of Pie. James Wallace. who committed suigide on the 25th inst. by. shooting himself in Victoria Barracks.

The following evidence was taken :-Dr. Smyths of the Army Medical Staff said -I was in Wellington Barracks and a private called me and said that a man had shot himself. at Victoria Barracks. I went up and found deceased. He was dead. I found a hol in the skull behind. The mouth was out about and I would put down the cause death to a bullet wound. I had the body brought, to the mortuary and examined i The bullet had entered the month and passed through the palate and through the front part of the occipital bone, then passing through the cerebellum. Death must have been instantaneous. The bullet was found in a wall behind In the medical record I find several entries against the name of the deceased for epilepsy effect that he generally had fits after he had been

drinking. Pte. Wood, A. & S. H. said-On the 25th inst. 9.5 a.m., I was on the versudah of the barracks and heard the report of a rifle. I ran to the the luncheon itself was elaborate the greenery upon the Bund. Then the Vladi window, and looking in, saw a man sitting on the | and lengthy as the menu printed (in French) on bed with the muszle to his breast. I called silk testifies. After huncheon the combany ad Koreyetz and the Bobr, the Tehhaing with out to another private, who came and looked in Journed to the upper pavilion to enjoy the view large gathering of the Bussian community, and and said it was Wallace.

Pto. Herbert, A. and S. H., said that on hearing: the report of a rifle he went to the Sergeents' Quarters. He saw deceased bing on community in honour of the Czarewitch was a At Kiukiang the reception was of a semi-prithe bed with a rifle close by again t the wall. great success. It took place in Mr. Molotkoff's vate nature, and great was the disappointment He was quite dead. He had known him for spacious godown, which was specially fitted up of the Chinese crowd that the Czarewitch in seven years. He had seen him save at times in for the occasion. The Russian firms with truly felt hat and tweed suit was dressed just like any fits. He saw him shortly before he died. He princely magnificence invited every one, and did other foreigner. But here again nothing could was sober and seemed all right. Last year he everything just as handsomely as it could be surpass the good behaviour and good-humour of had a fit and fell over a verandah. He did not done. They had a Franch cook up from Shang- the Chinese. Carpets were put down, and

deceased was in his bank clearing it up. Wit- by all the servants being dressed alike with que uniform like court cards lined the landing ness went down to the guard room. About half official caps and long gowns. Guests were shown stage, their quaint tridents being stacked at an hour later he went upstairs and found that into what appeared to be an elegant drawing. intervals. The English Consul, and the Comhis rife had been discharged. Deceased was room with silk curtains of Liberty shades, orange missioner of Customs, were the only outsiders about 24 years of age. Deceased was subject to and yellow, the walls covered with a quaint invited to what was otherwise a purely Russian fits. He was not in the habit of drinking, but a cretome of fereign make but for the Chinese reception in the Russian hong of Molchanoff. small quantity of liquor would bring on these fits. market only, therefore Chinese in character. Pechatnoff & Co., where again a beautiful ex-He had not heard that deceased had any money Everyone of the foreign community seemed to hibition of porcelain and eilver, Kinking

was a self-inflicted bullet wound.

LICENSING MEETING OF THE JUSTICES OF THE PEACE.

held at the Magistracy yesterday for the pur- Naval Officers arrived, the Germans all speaking salutes. The Prince left Nanking at 2 p.m. on pose of considering the application of Carl English perfectly, and alittle before eight appear. Thursday, and arrived at 10.10 a.m. on Friday Heinrich Wallace for a licence to sell intoxi- ed the Czarewitch and Prince George of Greece, at Woosang, where Russian and Chinese men-of cating liquors as an adjunct to his business as with a great following of uniforms; the Russian war saluted and manned yards.—Condensed from restaurateur at No. 15, Wellington Street. Charge d'affairce, Mi Kleimenew, acting in the Daily News. There were present Mesers, A. G. Wise (Chair-man). B. Chatterton Wilcox, Granville Sharpe, especially from Peking for the occasion, and one or G. Horspool, Acting Captain Superintendent two others being in diplomatic uniform. They had of Police, A. B. Hooper, and W. M. B. Arthur been detained at theentrance by a Chinese deputa-(Clerk). Mr. Parkes, of Messrs, Caldwell & Wil- tion from the Tes Guilds of Hankow, and the kingon, was for the petitioner.

which appeared to be thoroughly satisfactory.

his protection and hospitality to Chinamen enMr. Hosepool said the only objection of the gaged in the tea trade in Russia, as also thank. Who made the assault on Mr. Burns, and the Police was that the place was not required. ing the Czarewitch for having come to Hankow, demand not being complied with, they left the pendent order of Good Templars of Hongkong. were translated by Mr. Startseff, who had come to Tientain, where they reported themselves to The petitioners stated that in the locality were for the occasion from Tientsin, and who also the British Consul and claimed his protection April 10, Ned. str. Princes Marie, very few persons who would benefit from the served as interpreter when the Prince replied and assistance. The Consul informed the Feb. 28, from Amsterdam for Batavia. granting of the licence, there being already a that he would tell his father. The beautifully men on Monday that he had already seen 10, British str. St. Dunsten, Phipps, Feb. 28, sufficient number of licensed houses in the dressed deputation then disappointed everyone the Vicercy, who had sent up peremptory from Shields for Batavia, centre of the town. The only class of persons by withdrawing, and not essisting at the dinner, orders to arrest the ringlessers and bring them 11, Amr. ship Ged. R. Skolfield, Dunning, therefore by whom this house would be used although they had been duly invited. The down to Tientein. He also informed them that Mar. 19, from Manila for Sandy Hook. would be merchant seamen and men from the Casewitch is a slight stripling with brown hair. Army and Navy. The Barrack canteens, his mother's eyes and forehead, but his father's following day and advised them to be ready to Hollo for New York.

Reyal Naval Club, and other such places amply month, and a very sweet expression indicative of return with him to the works on Wednesday.

11, Italian bark Angela, Boero, April 2, from provided for the wents of such persons. Petigreat smisbility, as also of a natural affectionate Mr. Kinder did not turn up, however, and
tions to the same affect from the Seemen's disposition. It seemed to be at his request that it was not till the 16th that they received II. Ned. bark Senior, Schots, Mar. 19, from Branch of the Church of England: Tem- the various ladies were presented to him, in the st telegram from the works stating that the Sourabaya for Akyab.

not a letter that should have been addressed to them to the meeting. Me might may however, golden mails he sat between Mesdames Duitrev- way to Shanghai. Mosatime the Colliery had from New York for Hongkong.

judgment on appeal in the House of Libras, had been prepared for him. There was an ther certain, but strained relations between the men siderate, it was certainly not intended to be so. It Sharpe w. Wakefield. In this case it was held table running the whole length of the room at and the directors of the works cannot be avoidwas a deliberate expression of opinion. However that a publican had no vested interest in the only one side of which scats were placed, so ed. The wounded man is doing fairly well.—
you might object to that opinion, I see nothing license and that in the case of justices that no one should turn his back on Royalty, the Daily News correspondent. objectionable in the form of conveying it. dealing with a renewal of licences and more numbers being estimated at 149. The room was If it was so I must bear the discredit, especially in granting new ones, if such es- most elaborately draped with red, blue, and white, But in any case it is inconceivable that any tablishments were deemed by them unneces- the Russian colours, and all round it stood tall possible view of it could justify the letter you sary they had perfect right to refuse any flowering plants in pots, pink peoples showing have written! However, it must remain. Perapplication for a licence. The application was out especially, and palme being placed behind the land better retire while you consider.

application for a licence but for those where the Royal seat. The decorations on the table Hon. P. Rynig-I do not think we can come took pains to study the subject, it was apparent to any conclusion at once. We did not know from experience that the adjunct licence be-

Mr. R. C. WILCOx objected to the granting of a licence on the grounds that the place was unnecessary and the locality, undesirable. The Hon. T. H. WHITEHEAD-Let me assure granting of a licence to a similar establishment your Excellency that nothing was further from in Pottinger, Street appeared to have established our intention when that letter was written then a kind of precedent for applications of this kind: Unfortunately he was unable to be present on His Excentency-I om very glad to that occasion or he should certainly have opposed

Mr. SRELTON HOOVER thought that Mr. to hear shything of the kind, but I must mentinto the question that was quite out of point out that this letter, whatever its inten- place. Personally he had no objection to the intricate to admire at any distance, letting tion is gravely disrespectful—and, I might use a licence being granted, but if the Police objected stronger epithet said be fully justified in doing and there was a general opinion that the place so. When such expressions are used, it is not was really undesirable in that locality, he should oppose the granting of the licence. The Justices after a short deliberation in pri-

vate announced through the Chairman that they

SAIGON.

FROM A CORRESPONDENT.

His Excellency the Governor General and that M. de Lanessau will be sent out as Go- most beautiful silks, soft Hankew velvets, vernor-General in room of M. Piquet, and M. briefly noticed in yesterday's issue, the Klobukosky, Bon-th-law of the lamonted Paul Lorne Athletic Club, A. & S. Highlanders, gave Bert, at present French Consul at Yokohama,

> The community here have received with no of the Bank there. He will leave behind him peans but also of the Chinese merchants of

THE CZAREWITCH'S VISIT TO HANKOW.

HARROW, 20th April.

H.I.H. the Czarewitch with H.R.H. Prince George of Greece reached Hankow about eight o'clock on the morning of Sunday, the 19th inst. given jesterday afternoon, and a third will take the Russian Consul on board, his H.I.H. landed at the specially prepared covered way leading to the central arch, and drove to the Greek church, Whore divine service was conducted by a Russian Archimandrite from the Mission at Poking. He tiffited with his fellow-countrymen at Mesers. Molotkoff's hong and returned to his vessel for. the afternoon. In the evening a diplomatic An enquiry was held yesterday at the Vagis dinner was given at Mesers. Molchanoff's at of Tis. 10,000 for the dinner has certainly been tracy by Mr. A. G. Wise into the circumstances which the members of the Consular body and others had the honour of dining with the Prince, said to have cost Tis. 1,000 and if the illuminacovers being laid for forty. The Bund was tions of the Customs buildings alone cost Tla. most brilliantly and successfully illuminated, 2,000 that gives some clue to what that expense throughout, and after dinner the members of the Decoration Committee were presented to His Imperial saw the decessed at 9.55 a.m. on the 27th inst. Highness, who repeatedly expressed his thanks commerced between nine and ten o'clock, was-

exceedingly effective. This morning the Czarewitch and Prince George returned the Viceroy's visit at the Temple at the foot of the Hanyang kill. The hill and Greece. shores were crowded with spectators, and the scene, with its fifty Chinese gunboats, its regiments of soldiers lining both banks and its gaily decorated Temple and approach was very striking in the brilliant sunshine. About noon the Casrewitch and his party went on board a Chinese manlines of gaily uniformed soldiers lining both shores of the Yangtze. The Vicerny received his guest and conducted him to the entrance hall where light refreshments were provided before them look like so many brilliant parrets among

and breeze ere returning to Hankow. Last night the banquet given by the Russian Prince. hai, they had ices, and the waiting was as good soldiers of the district uncommonly tall for Sergeant Irvine said that on the 25th inst. as the dinner, and rendered specially effective Chinamen with big black turbans, and pictures. have lent his best chairs and lamps, a specially specialities, had been get together, as also by the His Worship found that the cause of death beautiful Chinese screen occupying one corner, house of Tokuskeff, Molotkoff. & Co., and of and the effect was quite that of a drawing-room; both of which the Prince bought largely. especially when all the new gowns ordered for the occasion with court trains took up their positions. But the sakuska room beyond, all of yellow erstonne, curtains and all, had a yet prettier effect; and was of so becoming a hae that ladies re- the Vladivoslock and the visit was returned on meeting of the Justices of the Pesce was gretted they also did not take sakuskar Crowds of board the Chinese man-of-war Kaichi amid royal four Tes Provinces of Hunan, Hupeh, Shansi, and The European foremen, viewers, overmen and The CHAIRMAN said there was no Police ob- Canton; who presented an sildress, and made others employed on the Railway and colliery jection as regards the character of the applicant, speeches thanking the Emperor of Russia for works at Tongshan having demanded of the Mr. Swarp presented a petition from the Inde- the centre of the toa; industry. The speeches works in a body on Sunday the 12th and came

them at all. I dare my you have a copy of it that he thoroughly educated in the petitions. sky and Speshiloff opposite to Prince George of been getting on quite well without the Engenewhere, and I should like it to be read.

In support of his argument he referred to a Greece, who declined a similar geldenchair which repears. What the upshot will be is yet un-

were confined to leaves arranged in H's and A's, H. being the Russian N. for Nikelai. There were a few toests proposed by M. Maligin, but no regular epseches, although the Czarewitch said a few words of thanks when his health was drunk. The guests went into dinner to the sound of the Boulanger March, and the Prince's Band played very agreeably at intervals, especial ly when the toasts were proposed. During dinner with really magical quickness red carpeted estrade, or colossal Opera, Box,

Hall, and to this the whole party adjourned a words. Litera scripta manet. I am very glad Granville Sharp had introduced a religious elelittle before ten to see the fireworks and illuminadown caseades of lanterns, and troops dolls, that danced in the heat. Though more elaborate they were less romantic than those of the night before, set off from boats, and thus gaining from the reflection in the water. But the illuminations were quite fairylike, and Hankow Bond never looked to well before and possibly never will again. Where all had done their best it would be invidious to specialise, but Mr. Thyon's lanterns were certainly the most fantastic and varied in colouring. And many the confectioners, who only receive five yen a people gave them the palm, although others pre- month. ferred those of the Hongkong Bank, and pro-

> were the best decorated, the Consulate being the most elaborate. devoted to an exhibition of the whole method of preparing brick tea with models of the old original hand-presses, as also of latest steam press; this last turned out by Mesers. Boyd & Co., all of which last were presented to the Czarewitch. This same Russian firm had a whole month before sent compradores into the country yet been arrested .- Hyogo News. to get the season's teas, so as to be able to present exquisite samples, and the young leaf picked thus early had turned out so satisfactory that some of this tea was valued at

Tis, 4,500 the picul, or nearly 26 the pound But the general exhibition was in a long gallery, running parallel with the Banqueting Hall, and too elaborately decorated for description. It was outered through a screen of painted Canton matting, extraordinarily effective from the boldmess of the design and beauty of the colouring. There were all manner of rampant trees, dwarfed and trained in the form of Chinese monsters with artificial; while the whole gallery was awest with the smell of evergreens, and fresh young tea.

thousands of boats lining it, and adding very the Princes had lunched for five hours with the Vicercy at the picturesque temple at Han-yang. Chang Chih-tung's visit had been the first the Czarewitch recoived on his steamer on arrival, and manufacture of brick tea, and duly congratulated the house of Tokyo, Lord Li has earned the house of Tokyo, Moiotkoff & Co. on their 25th anniversary. He also found time to less than on account of the novelty of the as also to give a handsome donation. His first titude of the Representatives of the Middle

What the Russian Colony has spent on this truly magnificent entertaiment will Legation into welcome concord with the times probably never be known; the initial estimate and its circumstances .- Japan Mail. far over-stepped. The carpet for it alone of the illumination must have been.

The presents prepared for the visitors are exand gratification. The display of fireworks, Russian Colony at Henkow there are two heavy hazy weather from Shanghai to Ockson; from Chinese life carved in ivory for presentation to drizzling rain and dense fogs at times. the Czarewitch, and a massive pagoda in clbisound work and gold for Prince George of

The last day of the Czarowitch's visit was pervaded by a spirit of uncertainty, of which an winds and cloudy overcast weather up to Turn. This year's New Malwa \$490 explanation may soon be apparent. All day about, and thence to port thick cloudy weather Last year's New Malwa \$500 there were conflicting rumours. Meanwhile and passing fog banks with N.E. winds. Old (3 years) Malwa ... \$510 the great luncheon had finished beneath a most brilliant awning of flags on the deck of the 23rd April, Amoy 24th, and Swatow 27th, had the yards. The vessel then steemed slowly up Russian, I English, and I German, manned and cloudy weather. From Swatow to port mobut he never appears, to have been seen in a fit river, followed by the Russian and Chinese gun-by any medical officer. There are entries to the beats, amidst-salutes from the Red Fort and long looking the most affective whilst the Chinese and fine weather. In Swatow stra. looking the most effective, whilst the Chinese Swatow, Neuchwang, and Yikeang. coked very original. At last the sun set in orange brilliance behind a mass of Chinese soldiers in orange, searlet, and green, making postock started down river followed by the the Yuenwo with the privileged few who were to get down to Kinking to prepare for the

At Nanking great was the array of flags lining the river bank and the canal shore. The Vicercy visited the Czarewitch on board

18th April.

that you have not touched on the letter writ- also presented. Mr. Sharp said these petitions the long table running all down one side of the that they had been deceived, for the Cantonese. 13, British bark Cambuedoou, Carland, Decton by you to the unofficial members. It was simply the humble instrument to present with Chinese old gold satin buttoned down with leave the place and were supposed to be on their 13, Amr. ship Issee Reed, Waldo, Nov. 23,

500,000 required having been subscribed, the Naniwa Railway Co. will be established. . The company's line will begin at Takata, and extend to Gojo, both of Yamato. It cannot be said that the people of Osaka lack

public spirit. They are about to expend 4 000 yen on the improvement of the Nakanoshima park, and have drawn up estimates for improvements and extensions of the park, the ultimate cost of which, apread over a series of years, will amount to 60,000 yeu. Mr. T. Taketa, a well-known merchant of Jakai-machi, is about to launch out into a big enterprise. He intends establishing a tea factory

was erected at the entrance to the Banqueting at Hyuga, and will have agencies at Viadivostock. San Francisco, and New York. So great faith has he in his ability to do a large trade with Russia that he has already sent his two sons: mere lade, to Vladivostock to learn the language. Very significant is the rate of wages given to employes in Osaka. The highest paid are those who out out dresses and clothes in the foreign style, and these receive one yen a day, whereas these who make native dresses only receive 30 sen a day. There must be a brisk demand for foreign habiliments among the Japaness for such terms to be given. The next best paid are the printers and earthenware makers, who each receive 50 sen a day, while the lowest paid are

A shocking story of fraud and murder is re- ON BOMBAY .-bably taken all together the Russian Hougs ported from Osaka. A young man about 26 years of age, calling himself K. Kobayashi, ricemerchant of Hamamatsu, who was staying at A special feature of the dinner was the ex the Mikazukiya, went into the shop of Innishi, Mdms. Piquet left here for France by the mail | hibition of Chinese products, carefully got to- a draper, of Honmachi, on the moving of the steamer Salaric on the 13th inst. Rumour has it steamer Salaric on the 13th inst. Rumour has it Co. at their sole expense. There were many value of 48 yea, requesting that the articles might be sent to the hotel, when he would pay cowhide boxes (another Hankow speciality), for them. A shop-boy, 16 years of age, was Sovergions, Bank's Buying Rate 6.25 ivories official buts, staffed birds; and one room sent, and went to the stranger's room. Koba vashi (was seen to leave the hotel taking the rticles with him. but the boy did not come down. On search being made the proprietor found his body in a closet, where it had been placed by Kobayashi after the boy had been strangled with a towel. The murderer has not

On Saturday evening, the 18th April, a ball was given in the Rokumeikan by His-Excellency the Chinese Minister. An unfortunate accident Chinese Loan '84 C. had temporarily crippled Lord Li, and it was at Chinese Loan '86 E... one time feared that he would not be able to be Crinckshank & Co.... resent at the ball; but His Excellency braved Dairy Farm Co. the suffering of a badly scalded foot, and Fenwick & Co., Geo., though not in a condition to stand, managed Gordon & Co., A. G... from his invalid's place on a sofa to discharge Green Inland Coment false eyes and large lolling red tongues, and red all the duties of a most genial heat. His Ex. H. Brick & Coment. drapery on their backs. And there were chande-liers with dolls all round moving in the heat, and chandeliers formed of flowers both natural and kindly played the part of hostess with all her well known sunniness and grace. The party Hongkong Longitude was eminently successful. Remarkable as the H. & K. Wharf & G. About midnight the Princes were sent off first instance of a general entertainment given H. Steam Laundry... between flaming torches of Bengal light, held in Japan by a Chinese Representative, the new Hongkong Rope...... by the various gentlemen, and this seemed by deporture inspired good humour and satisfac H. & W. Dock. the Chinese to be looked upon as the most tion from the outset, and all seemed auxious to Hotelscurious part of the proceedings. In spite of the distinguish the occasion in the manner deemed barricadestokeep them out a great part of the Bund most likely to please their hospitable host. was a serried mass of Chinese, and there were mamely, by enjoying themselves thoroughly. Whether by happy assident or skilful calculation much to the general effect. Before the hanquet the number of guests just sufficed to fill the fine suite of rooms without crowding them, and the dancers were consequently able to enjoy themselves in a manner very unusual at such entertainments in Tokyo. It goes without saying this laucheon was his return call. During his stay | that the decorations were beautiful and the supin Hankow the Prince of course inspected the perexcellent. Within the very short period of go over the Roman Catholic Convent, and exa- occasion, there was a general desire that the mine all the industries taught the children there, ball should prove a success. Hitherto the atact on landing bad been to go to the Greek Kingdom in Japan had been one of more Church among his Russians on famille; as be ex. or loss reserve in respect of social matters; pressed it, and he went there again on his last and the public, while fully recognizing that good reasons might be advanced for this habit, neverday, besides entertaining all the Bussians on the Vladivostock at lancheon, and visiting the theless found it slightly out of harmony with the fashious of the capital of modern Japan. The present Minister's new departure brings his

> SHIPPING REPORTS. The British steamer Siam, from Bangkok 21st April, had light easterly winds and fine weather

The Chinese steamer Knoungles, from Shange ceedingly handsome. Besides the ailver from the hai 24th April, had light S.W., winds and dull ebony case-screens with all manner of scenes of thence to port N.E. and E. winds with light

The British steamer Haiphong, from Mozi 22nd April, had pleasant S.E. winds and light airs, and experienced moderate S.W. to N.W.

The British steamer Thales, from Taiwanfoo

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20, Nanchang, British str., from Taiwanfoo 20. Strathleven, British str., from Hiogo. 21, Chiyuen, Chinese str., from Hongkong. 21. Moyune, British str., from Nagasaki. 21, Saikio Maru, Japan str., from Yokohama. 22, Hein-yu, Chinese str., from Tientsin 22, Tungchow, British str., from Tientein. 22. Woogung, British str., from Swatow. 22, Kwanglee, Chinese str., from Hongkong. 22, Amoy, German str., from Hongkong. 22, Macduff, British atr., from Japan. 22, Hainau, German str., from Tientsin, 22, B. Henrickson, Nor. str., from Tientsin. 22. Nierstein, German atr., from Nagasaki. 23, Annie E. Wright, Br. str., from N. York, 23, Lienshing, British str., from Tientein. 24, Akashi, Japanese str., from Nagasaki. 4, Chusan, German str., from Tientsin. 24, Kungpai, Chinese str., from Tientein. 24, Yuensang, British str., from Swatow. 24, Hac-an, Chinese str., from Tientein. 24. At gay, British str., from Hongkong. 24, Buikal, Russian atr., from Nagusaki. 24. Poo-ohi. Chinese str., from Tientain. 24. Ynogebing, Chinese str., from Tientein. Batavia, British str., from Hiogo. 24, Yungping, British str., from Middlesbro. DEPARTURES. I, Hainsheng, Chinese str., for Chefoo. 21; Fooksang, British str., for Swatew.

21, Wushang, British str. for Tientein. , Chintang, Chinese str., for Amoy. 1. Lycomoon, German str., for Wuhu. l, Lombardy, British str., for Hongkong. 21. Flintshire, British str., for Nagasaki. 1. St. James, American bark, for Hongkong 22. Tamaui, British str., for Newchwang. 23. Achilles, British str., for Liverpool. 22, Kaisow, British str., for Nagasaki. 22, Hasohang, Chinese str, for Wenchow. 28, Tungchow, British str., for Tientain. 23, Chi-yuen, Chinese str., for Chefoo, 24, Nierstein, German str., for Nagasaki. 24. Saikio Maru, Jap. str., for Nagasaki. 24, Nanchang, British str., for Chefoo. 24, Amey, German str., for Wuhu. 24. Woosung, British str., for Chefoe. 24, Kwang-lee, Chinese str., for Hongkong. 24. Glenshiel, British etr., for Wubu.

VESSELS PASSED ANJER. April 10. Ned. str. Prinses Marie, Hubert

perside Esciety, of which Rev. A. G. Goldsmith is President, and from the Hongkong
Branch of the National Temperance League.

A special table had been prepared for the down to Tientain. The men therefore refrom New York for Estavia.

Czarewitch, but he requested to sit with other turned to the works by the first train on Friday

12. Austrian ship Armida, Ivancich; Dec. 9,

Czarewitch, but he requested to sit with other turned to the works by the first train on Friday

13. Italian bark Draguette, Schlaffine, Dec. 7. of which Rev D. Hamilton is chairman, were people, so his seat was placed in the middle of the 17th. When they writed hey soon found from London for Samarang.

13. British ship Traveller, Harris, Mar. 29. from Sourabaya for Rangoon. 13. Italian bark Aurelia, Domeniconi, De

from New York for Singapore: . 13, Italian bark Luigia Raffo, Calvo, Dec. 3, from New York for Amoy. 13, British bark Camelot, Peters, Mar. 20, from Framantle for Shanghai. 13. Ned. str. Gonv. Gen. S'Jacob. De Blinde April 13, from Batavia for Amsterdom.

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